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Applicant(s): Knudsen et al

Title: GLP-2 Derivatives

- 29 pages of specification 1 page of abstract
- 0 sheets of Formal Drawings Sequence Listing 4 pages and Diskette
- 3 sheets of Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney (from S/N 09/258,187)
- 3 sheets of Declaration under 2163.07(b) and copy of PCT/DK97/00086
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Priority of Danish applications nos. 0931/96 filed on August 30, 1996, 1259/96 filed on November 8, 1996 and 0271/98 filed on February 27, 1998 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119. Certified copies of these applications have been previously submitted.

Priority of U.S. provisional applications nos. 60/035,905 filed on January 24, 1997, 60/036,226 filed on January 24, 1997 and 60/085,789 filed on May 18, 1998 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 119.

The benefit of applications nos. 08/922,200 filed on September 2, 1997; 09/258,187 filed on February 25, 1999 and 09/908,534 filed on July 18, 2001 in the U.S. is claimed under 35 U.S.C. 120.

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